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A Brattleboro motorcyclist has been fined for operating his car with the muffler cut out open. This sort of prosecution is so rare when many motorcyclists are constantly barking their way through a town that it is worthy of notice.

The reduction in fire insurance rates on granite manufacturing establishments in Barre, which is just announced by the New England Insurance exchange, is the result of a large expenditure of money by the city of Barre and is merited by the conditions.

Having formed a company of the new Vermont National Guard and having shown itself in need of a state army, Rutland is deserving of being chosen the place for laying out the state appropriation, providing such an appropriation is to be spent at all.

The Hungarian populace seems to be awakening to the fact that it is being duped through the accession of a member of royalty to the dictatorship. There will need to be constant caution for years if the people of Hungary wish to retain hold of their own government and their own affairs.

In case Montpelier's proposed brick-making concern, which is to use granite waste as a chief material, develops as its supporters claim it will, there will be a marked reduction in the size of the grout piles around the stonesheds and at the quarries; for, of course, such an industry would eventually take in Barre. There is already enough material in Barre and at the quarries to permit feeding the industry for a century or more.

Senator Dillingham of Vermont has spent a considerable share of the time since he has been in Congress studying the immigration question of the United States; and he has also spent some time in Europe considering the situation there in its relation to the United States, being then acting as the chairman of the United States immigration commission. The information which he has gained through that experience will prove of advantage to him in supporting the measure now before Congress, which is designed to check immigration. Senator Dillingham will no doubt be called upon to defend his measure against vigorous attack, and the fund of information at



Just a few of our good suits for boys that we are closing out this week to clean up odd sizes and broken lots.

For boys from 10 to 16 years Norfolks and some of the waist seam models.

Prices, \$3.25 to \$12.00. And for the younger fry an assortment at \$2.50 that is a good buy.

Wash Suits.

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F. H. Rogers & Company

his command will be utilized to its fullest extent in meeting that attack.

The situation when the steamer Ticonderoga of the Champlain Transportation Co. went aground in Lake Champlain last Sunday seems to have been well handled so far as the safety of the three hundred passengers was concerned, all of the men, women and children being taken off the boat without loss of life and with a minimum of discomfort, all things considered. The incident serves to call to attention that although transportation is not carried out on a great scale on Lake Champlain, there is just as much need of discipline and drill as on the steamers which ply in coastwise excursion traffic or on the greater lakes of the country. Under conditions such as prevailed on the steamer Ticonderoga last Sunday, there was a chance for the uprising of the panic spirit, with resulting loss of life and injury to the scrambling crowd. To train officers and crew to handle such conditions is a necessity, it would seem; and probably the Champlain Transportation Co. does train its employees. At any rate, the possibility of panic was forestalled effectually.

Couldn't Be Done--So He Did It

Somebody said that it couldn't be done,
But he, with a chuckle, replied:
That "Maybe it couldn't," but he would be one
Who wouldn't say so 'til he tried.
So he buckled right in with a trace of a grin
On his face. If he worried, he hid it.
He started to sing as he tackled the thing
That couldn't be done--and he did it.

Somebody scoffed: "Oh, you'll never do that;
At least no one ever has done it."
But he took off his coat and he took off his hat,
And the first thing we knew he'd begun it;
With the lift of his chin, and a bit of a grin,
Without any doubting or quiddit,
He started to sing as he tackled the thing
That couldn't be done--and he did it.

There are thousands to tell you it cannot be done,
There are thousands to prophesy failure;
There are thousands to point out to you, one by one,
The dangers that wait to assail you.
But just buckle in with a bit of a grin,
Then take off your coat and go to it,
Just start in to sing as you tackle the thing
That "cannot be done"—and you'll do it.—Herbert Guest.

This little poem seems to emphasize qualities which exist in nearly every individual, but which in the majority of cases lie dormant. Why is it? Perhaps it may be from the fact that they have not the confidence which a bank account would inspire in them. It is difficult to measure the reserve power of a savings account. It is the beginning in a small way of wonderful accomplishments, not from the intrinsic value of the money itself, but the self-reliance which it instills.

Open an account to-day and be ready to do things.

The Peoples National Bank of Barre

4 per cent.—National Bank Protection for Your Savings—4 per cent

WILLIAMSTOWN

Miss Caroline Root, who has been with friends at Torrington, Conn., for a week past, has returned to Mrs. Ainsworth's.

The bearers at the funeral of Dennis J. Carlin last Saturday were from the Masonic lodge, of which the deceased was a member, and were W. H. Hebard, C. U. Sivright, J. F. Bailey, L. E. Williams, Walter B. Simons and Malcolm J. McLean.

Through the kindness of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bemis of Bonita Cliff enjoyed an auto trip to the Lost River region in New Hampshire recently and found the place well worth a visit, though it is somewhat off the beaten track and the roads are not very good. Other members of the party were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Averill, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Averill and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Noble S. Love and son, all of Barre, and Mrs. and Mrs. Ralph Thayer of Boston.

A. H. Ayresworth and friend of Chicago have lately made a brief stay with relatives in town, Mrs. Emeline Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Whitney, while on their way to Providence, R. I.

Supt. W. F. Glover is attending the conference of school officials of the state, now in session at Randolph Center.

The memorial arch for soldiers and sailors of the world war is taking form near the junction of Main and Depot streets. Credit should be given to B. C. Hoyt, who gives the lumber and to Frank Ashline, who does the painting and has also had the work of the building of the arch in charge. There was not time for the construction of a large arch, but those who have made it possible to have one have done the best they could and the general thought seems to be that they have done well. A lunch room is to be opened at once in grange hall, in the store formerly occupied by A. S. Cowles. This room

is large and it is hoped that later a bakery suitable to the needs of the town can be installed. Beside lunches, ice cream and cold drinks are to be furnished for those who wish. The venture is to be under the management of Miss Millie J. Drury, who finished an engagement of several years in Frank A. Downs' store some two months ago.

Melvin E. Burnham of Taunton, Mass., is in town for a few days with relatives. Mr. Burnham is a former resident and still owns a house on construction hill.

Mrs. Frank A. Brockway returned yesterday after a stay of ten days in New York City with her husband, who has the rank of chief electrician in the U. S. navy.

Wendell P. Waldo is confined to the house with a sprained ankle.

Stores in town are to be open till 9 o'clock both days of the old home week celebration and from 5 to 6 in the evening. Patrons please take notice. No deliveries will be made on these days.

SOUTH ROYALTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Miller from South Dakota are guests of friends and relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goodrich are at home after an extended automobile trip.

Mrs. C. W. Richardson is spending the week in Burlington.

Miss Katherine Swenson, who has been a patient at the Randolph sanatorium for a short time, is at home.

The Vermont state public service commission will meet at the South Royalton house, Aug. 25, at 10:30 a. m. The service question under discussion being the inefficient electric light.

Henry W. Houghton who recently sold his farm on Broad brook, has bought the Jennit Miller farm of Fred Allen, and will take possession September first.

Raymond C. Beals and family are in town in readiness for the beginning of the fall term of school. Mr. Beals is the new principal of the high school.

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"BIGGEST, BUSIEST AND BEST"

Resources, July 31, 1919

Premium Note Capital.....\$11,074,965.00
Surplus and Reserves..... 578,461.12
Total Available for Protection of Policyholders \$11,653,426.12

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

There will be due September 1, 1919, and payable to your local agent,

THE LOWEST ASSESSMENT

levied by any Vermont Fire Insurance Company for the year ended July 31st; an assessment of FOUR PER CENT., only.

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Going Somewhere-- And Getting There

The Peerless Knitting Mill, with a modernly appointed NEW factory building, catering with its high class production to such merchants as John Wanamaker, Marshall Field and Jordan, Marsh Co., and affording congenial and remunerative employment for 200 hands, mostly women, will become a living reality in Barre's New Industrial Age IF YOU WILL DO YOUR PART!!

The Appeal Direct

This is YOUR opportunity because it is Barre's opportunity. The high cost of living has imposed new responsibilities upon breadwinners, and in the absence of facilities for employing the grown members of their families they must leave town and seek ELSEWHERE the opportunities that are now withheld. Keep the girls at home—keep the workingman in Barre, where his productive power is badly needed in the ever growing granite industry.

The Peerless Knitting Mill

offers a safe and sane, non-taxable investment, with a guaranteed return of seven per cent. Present plans provide for expansion in order to meet a future growth that is already assured. Big and little investors must rally at once! Shares are selling at \$100 on easy payments. If the necessary amount is subscribed, ground for the factory will be broken at once—and the building will be erected this fall.

Not a Gift, But a Sterling Investment

In the \$100,000 already subscribed, some of Barre's most conservative investors are heavily represented. In the same way YOUR savings will yield a splendid return. YOUR subscription is NECESSARY. Get into the boat and pull a strong oar.—And don't delay!

(Additional details of the project may be secured from members of the Board of Trade Committee, or by reading the newspapers.)

SHALL BARRE GRASP THIS GOLDEN INDUSTRIAL OPPORTUNITY? IT'S UP TO YOU!! Is this your town, or do you just live here?

August Sale!

Clean-up sale of broken sizes and odd lots. Some good bargains:

One lot of Ladies' Gray Oxfords \$8.00 and \$9.00 values, now 6.15	One lot of Pumps, Gray and Brown Kid, \$6.00 and \$7.00 values, now 4.95
One lot of Men's Oxfords, \$6.00 and \$7.00 values, now 4.95	One lot Men's Canvas Shoes (leather soles) now 2.00
One lot Ladies' Low Shoes, small sizes, 2.00	One lot Ladies' Low Shoes, small sizes, 3.00

Several Other Good Trades

Rogers' Walk-Over Boot Shop